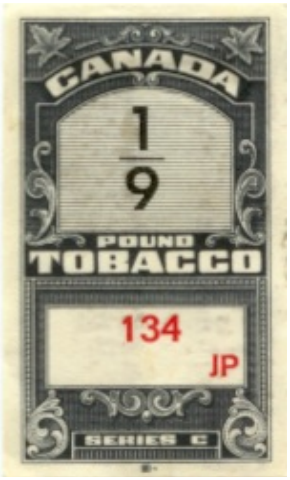
--- 1/9th Pound *new design* Series "C" - with a *black central denomination* - 22 x 42 mm. ---

--- as used by Import Licensee # 134 - "Rothman Tobacco", Holland - [1968-69] ---

The collection currently contains four copies of **M-659**, the *imperforate* 1/9th pound *new design* Series "C" with a ***black central denomination*** as used by Import Licensee # **134**. The initial letter **J** seems to indicate use in 1968 (**K** was 1969, and **L** was 1970). The final code letter probably reads as monthly production (however the letter **P** is to date undetermined - there may be a twelve letter code word).



RN-290 - 1/9th pound *new design* Series "C", imperforate, with a ***black*** central denomination, coded **134 / JP** by Import Licensee # **134** in 1968

[RN-290]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1968	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	JP	---	---	---	---
1969	KA	---	---	---	KJ	---	---	---	KS	---	---	---
1970	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1971	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

The final *month letters* used by Import Licensee **134** (derived from the various stamps in the collection) are:

A; G; H; J; M; P; S

For no particular reason, the letters have been arranged alphabetically in the preceding table. These seem to be part of a *code-word*, but with only seven examples to date, it is not possible at this time to make an educated guess. It is ***not*** the Rothman **AMBIDEXTROUS**, the Newfoundland **QUESTIONABLY**, nor the Benson & Hedges **PACKINGDEY**.

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